SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS

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SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS AT 11 O'CLOCK

HYMN 79 - St Prisca *Richard Redhead*
INTROIT - Requiem aeternam *Tone VII*

REST eternal grant unto them, O Lord: and let light perpetual shine upon them. *Ps. 65.* Thou, O God, art praised in Sion, and unto thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem: thou that hearest the prayer, unto thee shall all flesh come. Rest eternal*(etc.)*

COLLECT FOR PURITY *p. 67*
KYRIE ELEISON (Hymnal No. 710) *Healey Willan* in D

Kyrie eleison *iij.*
Christe eleison *iij.*
Kyrie eleison *iij.*

COLLECT

O GOD, the Creator and Redeemer of all the faithful: grant unto the souls of thy servants and handmaids the remission of all their sins; that through devout supplications they may obtain the pardon they have always desired. Who with God

the Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, livest and reignest God, world without end. *Amen.*

EPISTLE 1 *Corinthians xv.* 51

BRETHREN: behold, I show you a mystery; We shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this incorruptible must put on immortality. So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

GRADUAL - Requiem aeternam *Tone V*

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord: and let light perpetual shine upon them. *V. Ps. 112.* The righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance: he will not be afraid of any evil tidings.

TRACT - Absolve, Domine *Tone VIII*

Absolve, O Lord, the souls of all the faithful departed: from every bond of sin. *V.* And by the help of thy grace: may they be able to escape the avenging judgement. And enjoy the bliss: of everlasting light.

THE HOLY GOSPEL *St John v.* 25.

At that time: Jesus said unto the multitude of the Jews: Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God; and they that hear shall live. For as the Father hath life in himself, so hath he given to the Son to have life in himself; and hath given him authority to execute judgement also, because he is the Son of man. Marvel not at this, for the hour is coming, in which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice, and shall come forth; they that have done good unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of condemnation.

SERMON

The Reverend Edward O. Hendricks

OFFERTORY - Domine Jesu Christe *Tone II*

O Lord Jesu Christ, King of Majesty, deliver the souls of all the faithful departed from the hand of hell; and from the pit of destruction: deliver them from the lion's mouth; that the grave devour them not; that they go not down to the realms of darkness. But let Michael, the holy standard-bearer, make speed to restore them to the brightness of glory: which thou promisedst in ages past to Abraham, and his seed. Sacrifice and prayer do we offer unto thee, O Lord: do thou accept them for the souls departed, in whose memory we make this oblation. And grant them, Lord, to pass from death unto life: which thou promisedst in ages past unto Abraham and his seed.

HYMN 415 - Aberystwyth *Joseph Parry*

Pray brethren*(etc.)* *R.* May the Lord receive this sacrifice at thy hands, to the praise and glory of his Name, to our benefit, and to that of all his holy Church.

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH *p. 73*

PROPER PREFACE

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, In whom the hope of a blessed resurrection hath shone upon us; that we who are saddened by the certainty of dying, may be comforted by the promise of immortal life to come. For the life of thy faithful people, O Lord, is not taken away but changed; and through the tabernacle of their earthly habitation is dissolved, thou preparest them a house eternal in the heavens. Therefore*(etc.)*

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS (Hymnal No. 711) *Healey Willan* in D

CANON OF THE MASS *p. 80*

OUR FATHER (Hymnal No. 722) *Plainsong*

AGNUS DEI (Hymnal No. 712) *Healey Willan* in D

O Lamb of God *(etc.)* grant them rest. *ii.*
O Lamb of God *(etc.)* grant them rest eternal.

COMMUNION - Lux aeterna *Tone I*

May light eternal shine, O Lord, upon them: for endless ages with thy blessed ones, for thou art gracious. *V.* Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord: and may light perpetual shine upon them. For endless ages with thy blessed ones: for thou art gracious.

HYMN 223 - Adoro te devote *Mode V*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING *p. 83*

HYMN 431 - Nyland *Traditional Finnish Melody*

AT THE ABSOLUTION

COLLECT

ENTER not into judgement with thy servants, O Lord, for in thy sight shall no man living be justified, unless thou him remission of all his sins. We therefore beseech thee, let not the sentence of thy judgement press hard upon them, whom the reasonable prayer of thy faithful Christian people commendeth unto thee: but grant that by thy succour of thy grace, they who while living were sealed with the sign of the Holy Trinity, may be counted worthy to escape thine avenging judgment. Who livest and reignest, world without end. *R.* Amen.

LIBERA ME

DELIVER me, O Lord, from death eternal in that day of trembling: when heaven and earth shall be shaken: when thou shalt come to judge the world by fire.

V. Trembling taketh hold upon me, and fearfulness, as the sifting draweth on and the wrath to come: when heaven and earth shall be shaken.

R. Ah, that day, that day of anger, of calamity and misery; Ah that great day, and exceeding bitter! When thou shalt come to judge the world by fire.

V. Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord: and let light perpetual shine upon them.

Deliver me, O Lord, from death eternal in that day of trembling: when heaven and earth shall be shaken: when thou shalt come to judge the world by fire.

Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

OUR FATHER *(The Lord's Prayer is said silently until)*

V. And lead us not into temptation.
R. But deliver us from evil.

V. From the gate of hell.
R. Deliver their souls O Lord.

V. May they rest in peace.
R. Amen.

V. O Lord, hear my prayer.
R. And let my cry come unto thee.

V. The Lord be with you.
R. And with thy spirit.

Let us pray. *Collect*

Absolve, we beseech thee, O Lord, the souls of thy servants from every bond of sin: that they may be raised up among thy Saints and elect, and live again in the glory of the resurrection. Through Christ our Lord. *R.* Amen.

V. Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord.
R. And let light perpetual shine upon them.

V. May they rest in peace.
R. Amen.

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The Church of the Annunciation would like to thank S. Clement's Church,Phila. for the use of the Solemn Mass Set being used today, and to thank the choir of S. Timothy's Church, Roxborough, Phila. and their Choir - master and organist, Mr John Reber.

WE WELCOME the following officers of the Confraternity and Guild of All Souls: Bishop Brady, Superior General of the Confraternity of the Blessed Sacrament; Father Wetherell, Secretary General of the Confraternity of the Blessed Sacrament; and Father Kunkel, who is Warden of the Guild of All Souls.

WE WELCOME ALL VISITORS today and invite all those who have made reservations to stay for the luncheon which will follow the Mass in the parish house.